

Winnona Park ES PTA Board of Directors

Meeting Minutes February 24, 2022

Opening

The regular meeting of the Winnona Park ES PTA Board of Directors was held via Zoom videoconference on February 24, 2022. The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM by Co-President Courtney Sollie.

Present

Dawn Drobbin, Co-President
Courtney Sollie, Co-President
India Epps, Vice President
Aiman Muneer, Treasurer
Hetal Rathod, Secretary
Yara Haddad, Communications Chair
Ruth Scott, Principal
Lindsay Hodgson
Celina Beaver
Nikki Llewellyn
Jeanie Dizon

January Minutes for Approval

A motion to approve the minutes of the January 20, 2022, meeting was made by Hetal Rathod and seconded by Celina Beaver. The minutes were approved by an unanimous show of hands.

Principal Report

The report cards will be available next week. We finished our PT conference and had a good turnout even though they were virtual. The pond guy came back but Ruth will call him back to make sure that we don't get invoiced. The pond was a donation from a class and it's not maintained by school maintenance. Ruth thinks that the school can budget in the pond maintenance in the school budget. They will look for a new pond maintenance company to make sure that it's maintained properly.. There are 2 boards on the fence around the pond that need to be replaced. The graduating class at Decatur High school that were WP alumni wanted to gift WP with something and maybe the fence will be a good project for that.

The teachers were really excited about the Stock the Pantry today.

Co-President Update

We have found volunteers to co-chair the Nominating Chair, Stacy Moir and Aiman Muneer.

Budget

Aiman went over the budget and everything looks like we won't go over budget.

Grants

We had a great Spring campaign for the teachers to apply for the grants. We had 3 applications and if we give all the grants all the money they asked for, we would be short about \$170. The grants committee thought that all 3 grants are great and would like to approve all of them. One of the grants is for a field trip to Wylde Center and that should be taken out from our Field Work budget since we have used most of the money budgeted for it. One of the grants is for early reader chapter books for 1st grade and they wanted 2 sets. They would rotate among all the 1st grade classes. If we took the field trip from the Field Work budget and added 5 sets of the early reader chapter books for all the 1st grade classes, we would still be within budget to grant all 3 applications.

Motion to approve all 3 grants was made by Celina Beaver and seconded by Lindsay Hodgson and was approved unanimously with a show of hands.

Yearbook

We got a quote for 310 yearbooks with 60 pages to print the yearbooks and it's under \$3000. Since we're under budget, we should think about increasing the number of pages. Nikki will ask the printer to see how many pages or enhancements we can get for \$3700.

DEI

WP DEI does not have an events are planned next month.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:26 PM by Courtney Sollie. The next meeting of the Board of Directors will be held on Thursday, March 17, 2022, at 7 PM, via Zoom videoconference.

Minutes Submitted by

Ketal Rathod

Approved by

Board vote March 17, 2022